

SUNDAY, MAY 9, 1915.

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SOCIETY

*United Hunts Racing
Meet Will Attract
Society to
Belmont Park
Terminal
on
Saturday.*

*Photos taken at Rockaway
Hunting Club's Amateur
Race Meeting at
Hewlett Bay Park May 1,
by HENRY STEFFEN.*

*Mrs. and Mr.
Jorge Andre*

LONG ISLAND, especially over the week ends, is very gay just now and all the big estates are filled with guests from Friday until Monday, attracted by the sporting fixtures. The first race meet of the season, a week ago yesterday, at Hewlett Bay Park, brought out a very large crowd, and the second one, held yesterday, on the estate of Harry Payne Whitney, was an even greater success. Most of the Long Island families were represented at both meets, and they had with them their week-end guests. Luncheons were very numerous, the Whitneys yesterday having a large party at their home, and all the other big estates in the neighborhood were filled with prominent persons who, after luncheon, motored over to the track. In the evening there were informal dinners, followed by dancing.

Next Saturday the United Hunts Racing Association will have a meet at the Belmont Park Terminal and then will follow on May 20 the opening of the season at Belmont Park. The meets at these two places always are made the excuse for many luncheon parties at the Turf and Field Club, and several have been arranged for next Saturday.

The Westchester Racing Association will give a percentage of the receipts of the opening of the Belmont track on May 20 to the Blue Cross Society, the Committee of Mercy and the Lafayette Fund. Many who are seldom seen at a racetrack have subscribed for boxes for the first day, and the gathering promises to be a most notable one. Those who have already taken boxes are Mrs. Peter Cooper Hewitt, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. August Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. Payne Whitney, Mrs. Newbold Le Roy Edgar, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Mr. O. H. P. Belmont, Schuyler L. Parsons, R. T. Wilson, Captain E. B. Cassatt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sergeant Cram, Mrs. Ralph Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Harriman, Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones, Miss Barbara Rutherford, Dr. and Mrs. Preston P. Satterwhite, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gurnee, Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Mills, Clarence H. Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton W. Cary, Mrs. Ormond G. Smith, Mrs. E. L. Tinker and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Pinkerton.

ENGAGEMENTS JUST ANNOUNCED THAT INTEREST SMART SET

One of the interesting engagements announced last week was that of Miss Vera Bloodgood, daughter of Hildreth K. Bloodgood, of 30 West Fifty-eighth Street, to Charles Scribner, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scribner, of this city and Morristown, N. J. Miss Bloodgood was introduced to society three years ago. Mr. Scribner is a member of the Union and the Morris County golf clubs.

The wedding will take place on Wednesday, May 26, in the Heavenly Rest, Mrs. Mac Willets, sister of the bride, will be the matron of honor, and the other attendants will be Mrs. Theodore P. Dixon, Mrs. George Saltmarsh West, Mrs. Arthur A. Foster and Miss Mary Rand, of Minneapolis, Minn. Clarence Van S. Mitchell will act as Mr. Scribner's best man and the ushers will be J. Mac Willets, Philip Boyer, R. Teller Townsend, Nicholas Tilney, Edward Law, Rudolph Rauch, Archibald Russell, Jr., and G. Dawson Coleman, of Philadelphia. After the ceremony a reception will be held at the home of Mrs. Willets, 30 West Fifty-second Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles de Kay, of 413 West Twenty-third Street, announced yesterday the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marion Eckford de Kay, to Dr. Peyton Rous, of 121 East Sixty-second Street. Dr. Rous is a son of the late Charles Rous, of this city and Baltimore. He is a member of the staff of the Rockefeller Institute for Research. The wedding will take place in June.

The engagement was announced last week of Miss Dorothy Green Thompson, daughter of Mr. Arthur G. Thompson, of 10 East Seventy-fifth Street, to Marshall Moore Bartholomew, of 412 St. Nicholas Avenue. Mr.



*Mrs.
Samuel
N.
Hinckley*

*Miss Katherine
E. Force and
Henry C. Harrinckell.*

The bride: Reginald Lanier, Harold Stuart and Francis R. Appleton, Jr.

Miss Peek will give a dinner for the bridal party on Thursday evening, May 27.

The marriage of Miss Mary L. Duke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin N. Duke, of 1075 Fifth Avenue, to Anthony J. Leopold Biddle, Jr., of Philadelphia, will be celebrated on June 15 at Duke Farms, the country home of the bride's parents at Somerset, N. J. A large reception will follow the ceremony, and after a short wedding trip Mr. Biddle and his bride will make their home in Philadelphia. Miss Duke is a sister of Angus Buchanan Duke, who recently married Miss Cordelia Bidle, Mr. Bidle's sister, in Philadelphia.

Miss Luisa R. Bishop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elidon Bishop, will be married to Oliver Carter Harriman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Harriman, on Monday, June 5, in St. Bartholomew's Church. The Rev. Dr. Leighton Parks, assisted by the Rev. Dr. George of St. Mark's Church, will perform the ceremony, which will be followed by a large reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bishop, 60 East Seventy-eighth Street. The bride will have no attendants. Mr. Harriman will have his cousin, Alan Harriman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wright Harriman, as his best man, and the ushers will be E. Roland N. Harriman, Samuel Sloan Walker, Edward Dodge, Willard Simpson and Henry H. Landen Jr.

Mr. Allan Heywood McAlpin will act as the matron of honor at the wedding of Miss Helen Cauldwell to Robert Bosworth, which will take place on June 17 in Morristown, N. J. The bridesmaids will be Miss Harriette Louise McAlpin, Miss Ruth Taylor, Miss Marie B. Letford, Miss Gertrude Behr, Miss Dorothy Bruff and Miss Margaret H. Bissell. Miss Alpin gave a luncheon last Wednesday for the bride at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Willet McAlpin, 111 East Nineteenth Street.

The Metropolitan Opera House will be reopened for one night, for a benefit performance of "Carmen," with an all-star cast. Thursday is the date selected, the original date having been changed three times during the last few days, in order to make possible the securing of the most famous operatic stars and the full Metropolitan orchestra of light and corps de ballet of 180. The list of patroresses included by Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Ada Norfleet, of Memphis, Tenn., will serve as the maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will be Miss Sarah Margaret Rowe, of Pittsburgh; Miss Ruth Teal, of Marshall, Ore.; Miss Alice

Nancy Watson will act as flower girl. Hull as best man, and the ushers are Payne Whitney, and the entire crew will go to the "Sewing Girls of

Richard Trimble, Mrs. James A. Bur-

den, Mrs. John Henry Hammond, Mrs.

Seymour L. Cromwell and Mrs. Otto Wittgen.

One of the interesting features of the annual Garden Party to be given on Governor's Island on May 26 by the New York Branch of the Army Relief Society will be a polo game arranged by some of the officers on the island. There will be no regular supper as last year, but the officers' clubhouse will be open from 3 until 7:30, and the cards of admission will entitle the holders to refreshments. In addition, refreshment tents will be scattered about the grounds, and there will be fortune-telling, hand-reading and other amusements.

Miss Harriet M. Clark is chairman of the committee in charge of the garden party, and associated with her are Mrs. Oliver B. Bridgeman and Mrs. Fabius M. Clarke. The patrons and matronesses are President Wilson, the Secretary of War and Mrs. Whitman Garrison, Governor and Mrs. Whitman, Mayor and Mrs. Mitchel, Major General and Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Daniel S. Lamont, General Nelson A. Miles, Gen-

eral and Mrs. J. N. Allison, Major Bigelow, Mrs. Fabius M. Clarke and Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Taft.

Mrs. Vanderbilt will give a luncheon to-day at her home, 1 West Fifty-seventh Street, for the Maharajah of Kanpurtha and the Maharaja.

The Duchess of Manchester will spend the remainder of the spring season at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Whitehouse spent the city last week for their country place at Manchester, Mass.

Mr. William Jay returned to the city last week from Aiken, S. C., and is the guest of her son-in-law and Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, Miss Grace

daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Iselin.

GENERAL SOCIAL NEWS

AND NOTES OF INTEREST

Mr. Gershon A. Sexas, formerly of New York and Greenwich, Conn., announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Helen Mayo Sexas, to A. Stedman Hills, of New York. Miss Sexas is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Sexas and the late Gershon Aronoff, who died as for many years a prominent lawyer of this city. Mr. Hills is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Hills, of 1114 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston. He was graduated from Harvard with the class of 1906, and from the Harvard Law School in 1909. He is a member of the Harvard Club of this city, the Amateur Comedy Club and the Atlantic Yacht Club.

Farrar is to sing the title role, and Alda is to be Micaela Martelli. Don José, Amato, Escamilia; Leonora Sparke, Frasquita; Andreas de Segura, Zuniga; Sophie Braslau, Mercedes; Robert Leonhardt, Dancaz; Alberto Reiss, Remendado, and Désiré Defrére, Morales.

A programme of character impersonations will be given by Miss Augusta Tisso and her father, Adolf Gloe, on Tuesday night, at the Vacation headquarters, 38 West Thirty-ninth Street, or the benefit of the Working Girls' Vacation Fund. Dialect monologues, imitations, songs, child impersonations and impersonations in costume of great musicians will be included on the programme. Among the patrons are Mrs. Charles S. Whitman, Mrs. George C. Hartman, Mrs. Margaret Flagg, Miss Elsie de Wolfe, Miss Anna Morgan, Miss Rachel Crothers and Miss Caroline Shippen.

For the benefit of the Girls' Protective League and the employment exchange in connection with the league's concert will be given on Tuesday night at the Rita-Carlton. The artists to appear are Goldline Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gehrlich and Francis Rogers. The patronesses include Mrs. Willard D. Straight, Mrs. Willard's father.

The bride is a graduate of Columbia University, class of 1906. He was captain of the Columbia crew in 1907 and of its baseball department. He was graduated from Harvard with the class of 1906, and from the Harvard Law School in 1909. He is a member of the Harvard Club of this city, the Amateur Comedy Club and the Atlantic Yacht Club.

Owing to the recent death of Mr. Sexas the wedding will be a quiet one, and will take place at All Angels Church in the very near future.

Arrangements have been completed for the wedding of Miss Mary Namack, daughter of Dr. Charles E. Namack, of 32 East Twenty-ninth Street, to Mr. H. Fausto Di Stefano, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Dewey, of this city, has been announced.

Judge and Mrs. Joseph F. Mulqueen, at a luncheon given at Harry's on

the recent anniversary of their daughter, Miss Alice V. Hernandez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hernandez, of Euclid Hall, to Mr. H. Fausto Di Stefano, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Dewey, of this city, has been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Moritz Smith have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Smith, to Louis Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Heimendinger, of 21 East Eighty-second Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miriam Hartstone, to J. Franklin Myers, son of Mr. and Marcus A. Myers.

Mrs. Charles Vincent Paterno gave her last at home of the year Friday afternoon at The Castle her place, 111 East Eighty-first Street, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Whitman, of 1114 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston. The house was decorated with spring flowers. Mrs. Paterno was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Charles Blandy, Jr. After the reception, which took place in the drawing room, the guests adjourned to the ballroom, which occu-

pied the entire third floor of the house, where dancing was enjoyed.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Vincent Paterno and their daughter, Miss Edith Mae Haskin, will start next Tuesday on a week-long automobile trip, after which they will go to Washington, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Ray E. Middaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Wallace of this city, have taken an apartment at the Hotel Belvedere.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Field Malone are at the Gedney Farm Hotel, White Plains, for a few days.

Miss Ella Louise Henderson gave an auction bridge party yesterday at her home, 239 West 128th Street, for Mrs. James Daniel Mortimer. The decorations were spring flowers and palms.

Among the guests were Mrs. Albert W. Corse, Mrs. W. Russell Robinson, Mrs. George Cummings, Albert Cornidge, Bridgeman, Mrs. Albert Cornidge, Mrs. John Bowen Cox, Robert Forbes Ferguson, Mrs. William Greene, Mrs. John Sands Howell, Mrs. Angus Hopkins, granddaughter of Mrs. Rose G. Bren-

ton, Mrs. C. Delano Knapp, Mrs. Thomas E.